SENATE SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS

KEYWORD AND SUMMARY AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

POSTSECONDARY ED. Provides that certain graduate students shall be exempt from mandatory student fees. (8/1/24)

SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO THE SENATE BILL

1. Adds requirement that payment for, or waivers of, mandatory fees (other than tuition) be included in compensation packages for teaching, research, and curatorial assistants.

2. Removes proposed law relative to various fee exemptions for teaching and research assistants.

DIGEST OF THE SENATE BILL AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

Present law provides that each public postsecondary education management board has the authority to determine the fees paid by students.

Proposed law requires payments to cover or provide a waiver of any mandatory fee imposed in accordance with present law except for tuition to be included in the compensation package of each graduate student serving as a teaching, research, or curatorial assistant. Requires each management board to adopt a policy for proposed law implementation.

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(Amends R.S. 17:3351(A)(5)(a))

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